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**ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
HYDERABAD.**

Lr.No. APERC/Secy/F.No.S-19 (Vol-II)D.No.694/21.

Date: 31-12-2021.

[Regulation No. 6 of 2021]

**SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
(LICENSEE'S DUTY FOR SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY ON REQUEST) REGULATION, 2013**

The present Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission, vide APERC (Adaption) Regulation, 2014 (Regulation 4 of 2014), adopted the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Licensee's duty for supply of electricity on request) Regulation, 2013 (Regulation No.4 of 2013) (hereinafter referred to as 'the Principal Regulation') which was notified by the erstwhile APERC of the undivided AP State. The First Amendment to the Principal Regulation was notified on 29.11.2014 vide Regulation 5 of 2014.

The DISCOMs filed petitions (O.P. No. 69 of 2021, O.P. No. 71 of 2021 and O.P. No.79 of 2021) requesting the Commission for modification of clause 8 (4) of the Principal Regulation. Further, the DISCOMs filed petitions (O.P. No. 68 of 2021, O.P. No. 72 of 2021 and O.P. No.73 of 2021) requesting the Commission to consider issuing suitable amendments to the schedule of development charges in the Principal Regulation. The Commission conducted public hearings on the above petitions and issued an order after considering the views/objections/suggestions of the stakeholders, the arguments of learned Advocate for DISCOMs and objectors and the material available on record. In the order, the Commission approved the proposals of DISCOMs with certain modifications.

Accordingly, the Commission, in the exercise of the powers conferred on it under clause (t) of subsection (2) of section 181 read with subsection (1) of section 43, and subsection (1) of 181 read with section 46 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003) and all powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulation to amend the Principal Regulation, namely:-

1. Short title, extent and commencement

- i. This Regulation may be called the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Licensee's duty for supply of electricity on request) Second Amendment Regulation, 2013.
- ii. This Regulation shall extend to the whole State of Andhra Pradesh.
- iii. This Regulation shall come into force with effect from the date of its publication in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

2. In the Principal Regulation:

- a) Clause 8(3) is deleted.
- b) Clause 8(4) shall be replaced with the following text.

"All consumers of LT services other than agriculture services whose contracted load exceeds 20 KW shall be provided with dedicated transformers by the licensees on collecting full cost of the transformer. Where dedicated transformers are provided, the Distribution Licensee shall not collect development charges and shall own the transformer and maintain it. The dedicated DTRs shall be installed within consumers' premises only. The Distribution Licensee shall not extend power supply to any consumer from the dedicated transformer other than the consumer who has borne the full cost of the transformer. The cost of such transformers shall not be factored in the ARR of the licensees. Consumers who are supplied with power from common DTRs shall pay development charges as prescribed by the Commission from time to time".

- c) The table under Annexure-I (Schedule of Development Charges) shall be replaced with the following table.

Tariff category	Category of services	Development Charges
HT	HT services	11 KV - Rs. 1800 per KVA or part thereof of the contracted demand
		33 KV KV - Rs. 1500 per KVA or part thereof of the contracted demand
		Above 33 KV - Rs. 1200 per KVA or part thereof of the contracted demand
LT-I	Domestic services	
	i) Upto 500 watts contracted load	Rs. 800
	ii) 501 to 1000 watts	Rs. 1500
	iii) Above 1000 watts	Rs. 1500 + Rs. 2000 per KW or part thereof of contracted load
LT-II	Non-domestic/commercial services	
	i) Upto 250 watts contracted load	Rs. 600
	ii) 251 to 500 watts	Rs. 1000
	iii) 501 to 1000 watts	Rs. 1800
	iv) Above 1000 watts	Rs. 1800 + Rs.2000 per KW or part thereof of contracted load
LT Agriculture		Rs. 1500 per kW or part thereof of contracted load
All other LT categories		Rs. 2000 per KW or part thereof of contracted load

(By Order of the Commission)

Hyderabad.
Date: 31-12-2021,

P. MURALI KRISHNA,
Commission Secretary (I/c).